

SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

HEARING EXAMINER DIRECTIVE

DOCKET NO. 2016-313-C

ORDER NO. 2016-101-H

OCTOBER 10, 2016

Hearing Examiner: David Butler

DOCKET DESCRIPTION:

Application of Airbus DS Communications, Incorporated for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Facilities-Based Local Exchange Service in the State of South Carolina

MATTER UNDER CONSIDERATION:

Motion to Present Witness Via Video Conference

HEARING EXAMINER ACTION:

Airbus DS Communications, Inc. has filed a Motion to present its witness via video conference at the time of the hearing in this matter. This procedure has been used successfully by Hearing Examiners in prior telecommunications certification cases. In this case, the witness's corporate office is located in Temecula, California. Significant expenditures would have to be made by Airbus to bring the witness to the Commission's Offices. Neither the other parties, nor the public would be harmed by use of the video conference procedure. The Motion is therefore granted.